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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. Fourteen only

Part B for August 1941

SUBJECT.

Travel Permits to Enemy Subjects. —

A.M. Krishnan.
20.8.41.

270/W Enemy Aliens - the Schrafanek family

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Serial No.	
5	From The Secy to the Hon'ble the Resident M 58-41/W Table the 23rd Jun. 41 with the visit of the Schrafaneks to Bangalore and Bhadravathi in connection with their proposed employment in the Mysore State. Law Minister's minute on the B/F. "The matter may await the return of Mr. Venkatarangappa from Calcutta and the Residency may be informed that we shall reply after a fortnight and that this is not now urged from our point of view" (Table) D.V.R. 23/6/41. Dewan (Table) N. M 23/6/41. Subd with a draft reply to the Residency on the above lines. (RS 24/6) Chief Sec 24/6 Approved MMS 24/6 Dr 24/6
6	Issued No. Pol. 2162 dt 25.6.41 to the Residency.
7	From The Secy to the Hon'ble the Resident F. 58-41/W dt 22nd June 41 requesting that the further communication may be sent at an early date. Subd for perusal with a draft to the Chairman Imp Works. for consideration (RS 24/7) For perusal please 24/7 Dr 24/7 Chief Sec MMS 24/7

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SECRETARY. 22. JUL. 1941 GOVT. OF MYSORE.

Enemy Aliens — the Schrafanek family. 352/W

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Serial No. 8

Issued No 388/W dt 23.7.41 to the Chairman, Iron Works, Bangalore.

OFFICE OF THE MINISTER FOR LAW
JUL 26 1941
No. 843

From The Chairman. Iron Works
no 105 d 24th Jul 41 re: the Schrafaneks.

The Chairman has stated that the question of employment of any member does not arise till it is ascertained that they are in a position to supply the equipment complete. He considers that if the material is still available it would be advantageous to discuss the question with the principal member and if there are no difficulties in keeping the material. In this connection it is submitted that it may not be desirable to purchase any equipment from enemy aliens, even if available. As such it is a point for consideration whether facilities need be given to the Schrafaneks to visit Bangalore just at present. A draft is sub to the Reading on the lines of the Chairman's letter but it is for orders whether their visit is necessary at present.

RS 29/7

On the whole it may not be worth while pursuing dealings with Govt 25/7

Chief Sy

Law minister

26.7.41

28/7

CHIEF SECRETARY. * 25 JUL. 1941 * GOVT. OF MYSORE.

Enemy Aliens - Ft Schrafenek family.

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Serial No.

The Hon'ble Minister has approved of the draft reply submitted with a request for his signature.

RS 28/7

28/7

Issued P.O. 187 & 28th inst. to the Residency

Subject:- Draft reply by Dr. Koenigsberger to Mr. Schrafenek

Chief Secy's minute "C.B. Reyes" (Initials) B.T.K. 16/8.

A

Hon'ble Minister is invited to the reply sent by the office to the Residency re: the arrest of the Schrafeneks to Mysore Station. In the draft reply by Dr. Koenigsberger he proposes to inform Mr. Schrafenek that under the present circumstances it does not appear likely to him that the Govt will act in the matter. Since there is no commitment in the reply, perhaps the reply may issue submitted for perusal and orders.

RS 16/8

(No information is available as to whether the machinery wanted after D.W is still available & whether it could be formed (asked) without difficulty. The initiative rests with Mr D.W)

CPR 16/8/41.

CHIEF SECRETARY * 16 AUG. 1941 * GOVT. OF MYSORE.

Chief Secy

Draft is sent after perusal by Spl. Wod. Secy.

MS 16.8.41

Secy. PWD)

CPR 16/8

Secy. Home

CHIEF SECRETARY * 18 AUG. 1941 * GOVT. OF MYSORE.

Perhaps the draft put up by Dr. Koenigsberger may be marked issue by the Chief Secy and be returned to him. There does not seem to be any necessity for the file being passed by Dr. Koenigsberger

MS 16/8

RS 18/8

(Yes. File need not be sent to the PWD) CPR 18/8

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4245/B Enemy Aliens - The Schrafanek family.

W File No. 11 of 1940-1

General and Revenue Secretariat

Serial No.

(The Chief Sec. was pleased to say that the file may be submitted to Law Minister also for perusal)

GA 18/8

Law Minister

18/8

1115 19/8/41

OFFICE OF THE MINISTER FOR LAW
AUG 18 1941
No 630

Draft returned by Dr Krencgsbergs for issue.

Very urgent. WJT-40-2 270/W
Confidential.

No. 58-41/W.

JUN 23 1941
12060

The reply to this communication should be addressed to the Secretary to the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore, by designation and not by name.

DEWAN'S OFFICE
24 JUN. 1941
NO. 8764

FROM

THE SECRETARY
TO THE HON'BLE THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

To The Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

Dated Bangalore, the 23rd June 1941

Subject

Law minister & Dewan 23/6/41

Enemy aliens - the Schrafanek family.

SIR,

The matter may await the return of Mr. Venkatramanan from Calcutta & the Resident may be informed that we shall reply after a fortnight & that this is not now urgent from this point of view 23-6-41

I am directed to forward a copy of endorsement from the Superintendent, Parole Centre, Purandhar, to the Government of India, Home Department, No.609, dated the 26th May 1941, and enclosures, and the Aliens Advisory Committee's recommendation in respect of the Schrafaneks.

2. I am to enquire whether the Government of Mysore desire that the Schnafaneks should be given facilities to visit Bangalore and Bhadravati in connection with their proposed employment in the Mysore State.

3. As the Government of India want the information by telegram

telegram, I am to reques our of a very early reply

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

for SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT.

KRG

Endorsement from the Superintendent, Parole Centre, Purandhar, to the Government of India, Home Department, No.609, dated the 26th May 1941.

As you will see out of the letter enclosed, we are in correspondence with the Mysore Iron and Steel Works regarding the erection of a plywood-factory in that state.

As it will be necessary for the Chairman to discuss the matter personally with us, we would request you to give us leave from this camp in order to go to Bangalore and Bhadravati for ten days.

We hope that you will favourably consider our request.

Sd/- Alred Schafranek.
Sd/- Siegfried Schafranek.
Sd/- Bruno Schafranek.

No.609, Parole Centre,
Purandhar, 26-5-41.

Forwarded with compliements to the Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department, Simla, enclosing the original letter from Mysore. As the matter appears to be urgent orders may kindly be issued early.

Sd.
Lt.Col.
Superintendent, Parole Centre.

Dr.O.H.Koenigsberger.
Government Architect.
D.O.No.1844.

Mysore Public Works Department.
Bangalore, 21st May 1941.

Dear Messrs. A & S Schafraneks

The Chairman, Mysore Iron and Steel Works, who is dealing with the scheme of a plywood-factory in Mysore feels that it may be desirable to discuss the matter personally with you. I therefore request you kindly to submit an application to the Commandant of your camp asking for his permission to go to Bangalore and Bhadravati on parole and promising to return to the camp after completing your mission. The time required would be about 2 days in Bangalore and 2 days in Bhadravati excluding travelling time.

Kindly let me know whether such a visit could be arranged.

Yours sincerely,
Sd. O.H.Koenigsberger.

ALIENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

Recommendations in respect of

6. Mr.Alfred SCHAFRANEK. is the brother of Mr.Sigf Siegfred Schafranek. Mr.Alred Schafranek is married to Margareta - Schafranek and has a daughter Miss Lizzy Schafranek (who appears in category (1), being 15 years old) and a son Bruno Schafranek who appears in category (V.). Mr.Siegfried Schrafanek is married to Maria Schafranek and has a daughter Johanna Schafranek (aged 17, but probably identical with Hansi reported in category (I)). The men came out to India on a contract with Kundalal of Ludhiana and the Committee thinks that as furniture makers they are skilled workers under category (V), but they apper to have no means and for this reason only their release, and that of their women folk is not recommended.

Ref 2162 d 25 June 1941

To W 11-40-6

The Secy. to the Resident.

Enemy Aliens - the Schrafanek family.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No.58-41/W dated the 23rd June 1941 on the above subject, I am directed to state that a reply will be sent in the matter about a fortnight hence after consulting the Chairman of the Mysore Iron & Steel Works who has gone to Calcutta. I am to add that the visit of the Schrafaneks is not now urgent from the point of view of this Govt.

I have etc.

24/6/41

Chief Secy to Govt.

IMMEDIATE.

No.2162

25th June 1941.

Enemy Aliens - The Schrafanek Family.

With reference to your letter No.58-41/W dated the 23rd June 1941 on the above subject, I am directed to state that a reply will be sent in the matter about a fortnight hence after consulting the Chairman of the Mysore Iron and Steel Works who has gone to Calcutta. I am to add that the visit of the Schrafaneks is not now urgent from the point of view of this Government.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

For Chief Secretary to Government.

W 11-40-4 357/W

V. URGENT
CONFIDENTIAL.

The reply to this communication should be addressed to the Secretary to the Resident Mysore, Bangalore, by designation and not by name.

No.F.58-41/W.

FROM

THE SECRETARY
TO THE HON'BLE THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

Dated Bangalore, the 22nd July *1941*

Enemy aliens - the Schafranek family.

SIR,

I am directed to refer to your letter No.Pol.2162/W, dated the 25th June 1941 and to request that the further communication promised therein may kindly be sent at a very early date. An express reminder has been received from the Political Department enquiring what the position is.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

for SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT

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SUBJECT.....

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Section W

File No. 11-40

Serial No. 8

Secret & Immediate

No. 388/W Evans Alias-th Schiffranek family

To Fones.

The Chairman. Iron Works.

Sir, I am directed to enclose for information a copy of Resy letter of 23rd June 41 with its enclosure on the above subject and a copy of reply sent by this office to the Resy in the matter. I am to request you to kindly intimate whether facilities need to be given for the Schiffraneks to visit Bangalore and Bhadravathi in connection with their proposed employment in the Iron Works. A very early reply is requested as the Resy has enquired thereon.

CJR

For Chief Secretary to Govt

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General and Revenue Secretariat

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...ate of issue..... 23.7.41

...igned by ..... Mr. CJR

...List of enclosures.....

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Examined by .....

WD 03695—GPB—30,000—29-1-40

SECRET &
IMMEDIATE.

No 388/W - 1/W 11-408
Encs 3.

23rd July 1941.

The Chairman,
Mysore Iron & Steel Works,
Bangalore.

Enemy aliens - the Schràfanek family.

I am directed to enclose for information a copy of Residency letter dated the 23rd June 1941 with its enclosure on the above subject and a copy of reply sent by this office to the Residency in the matter.

I am to request you to kindly intimate whether facilities need be given for the Schrafaneks to visit Bangalore and Bhadravati in connection with their proposed employment in the State. The favour of an immediate reply is requested.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

For Chief Secretary to Government.

Letter No.58-41/W dated the 23rd June 1941 from the Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore.

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Enemy aliens - the Schrafanek family.

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3. As the Government of India want the information by telegram early
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Endorsement from the Superintendent, Parole Centre, Purandhar, to the Govt. of India, Home Dept. No.609, dated the 26th May 1941.

As you will see out of the letter enclosed, we are in correspondence with the Mysore Iron and Steel Works regarding the erection of a plywood-factory in that State.

As it will be necessary for the Chairman to discuss the matter personally with us, we would request you to give us leave from this camp ~~XXX~~ in order to go to Bangalore and Bhadravati for ten days.

We hope that you will favourably consider our request.

Sd./ Alred Schafranek.
Sd./ Siegfried Schafranek.
Sd./ Bruno Schafranek.

No.609. Parole Centre,
Purandhar, 26-5-41.

warded with compliments to the Secretary to the Government

India, Home Dept., Simla, enclosing the original letter from Mysore. As the matter appears to be urgent orders may kindly be issued early.

Sd.
Lt. Col.
Supdt., Parole Centre.

Dr. O.H. Koenigsberger.
Govt. Architect.
D.O.No.1844.

Mysore Public Works Department.
Bangalore, 21st May 1941.

Dear Messrs. A & S. Schafranek,

The Chairman, Mysore Iron and Steel Works, who is dealing with the scheme of a plywood-factory in Mysore feels that it may be desirable to discuss the matter personally with you. I therefore request you kindly to submit an application to the Commandant of your camp asking for his permission to go to Bangalore and Bhadravati on parole and promising to return to the camp after completing your mission. The time required would be about 2 days in Bangalore and 2 days in Bhadravati excluding travelling time.

Kindly let me know whether such a visit could be arranged.

Yours sincerely,
Sd./ O.H. Koenigsberger.

ALIENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

Recommendation in respect of

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and has a daughter Johanna Schafranek (aged 17,) but probably identical with Hansi reported in category (I). The men came out to India on a contract with Kundalal of Ludhiana and the Committee thinks that as furniture makers they are skilled workers under category (V), but they appear to have no means and for this reason only their release, and that of their women folk is not recommended.

Letter No.Pol.2162 dated the 25th June 1941 to the Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore.

Enemy Aliens - The Schrafanek Family.

With reference to your letter No.58-41/W dated the 23rd June 1941 on the above subject, I am directed to state that a reply will be sent in the matter about a fortnight hence after consulting the Chairman of the Mysore Iron and Steel Works who has gone to Calcutta. I am to add that the visit of the Schrafaneks is not now urgent from the point of view of this Government.

"C O P Y"

(Intd/-) Cgk.

For Chief Secretary to Government.

W 11-40-12.

M. VENKATANARANAPPA,
CHAIRMAN
MYSORE IRON & STEEL WORKS, Etc.

BANGALORE

24th July 1941.

No. 105

SECRET.

CHIEF SECRETARY * 25 JUL. 1941 * GOVT. OF MYSORE.

The Chief Secretary
to the Government of Mysore,
Public Offices,
Bangalore.

Dear Sir,

A

I am in receipt of your letter No.388/W dated the 23rd instant and marked "secret and immediate".

I understand from Dr. Koenigsberger through Dr. Kabir of the Forest Research Museum that the Schrafaneks had under their control a plant for the manufacture of veneers, boxed ready for export in a harbour in Australia and that they had also some equipment in the Punjab. Correspondence was carried on with a view to acquire this material, but as full and reliable information could not be had; it was suggested that they may come over to Bangalore for a discussion. The question of the employment of any member does not arise until we are certain that they are in a position to supply the equipment complete or the more important portions of it. The correspondence has taken a long time and I do not know if the machinery is still available. If it is still available and there are no difficulties in buying ~~them~~ it, then it would be worthwhile our meeting the principal member of their family and discussing the question with him.

Yours faithfully,

Chairman.

No. Pol. 187. dt 28. 7. 41.

SECRET AND IMMEDIATE.

To

The Secy. to the Resident.

Enemy Aliens - The Schrafanek Family.

I am directed to refer to this office letter No.Pol.2162 dated the 25th June 1941 on the above subject, and to state that the Chairman, Mysore Iron & Steel Works, who was consulted in the matter, has reported that the Schrafaneks were stated to have ~~had~~ under their control a plant for the manufacture of veneers, boxed ready for export in a harbour in Australia and that they had also some equipment in the Punjab, ~~& Correspondence that~~ and that some correspondence was carried on ~~was carried on with a view to acquire this material, but~~ with a view to acquiring this material if possible. As full and reliable information could not be had, it was suggested that they ~~may~~ might come over to Bangalore for a discussion. ~~He has further stated that~~ The question of employment of any member does not arise until it is certain that they are in a position to supply the equipment complete or the more important portions of it. The correspondence has taken a long time and it is not known if the machinery is still available. ~~As such~~ The Chairman considers that a meeting ~~with~~ the principal member of the family ~~would be~~ and if the machinery is still available and if there are no objections ~~difficulties~~ ~~not~~ to buying it, it ~~might~~ would be worthwhile

~~advantageous for~~ discussing the question ~~and that~~

~~too if the machinery is still available with them.~~
with him but not otherwise.
~~His Govt does not desire to pursue the matter~~

I have etc.,

26.7.41

Chief Secy. to Govt.

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

SECRET & IMMEDIATE.

General and Revenue Secretariat

No. Pol. 187/W 11-40-18

Dated, Bangalore, 28th July 1941.

From

Rajasevaprasaktha
B. T. KESAVAIENGAR, Esq., B. A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

To

The Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore,
Bangalore.

Sir,

Enemy Aliens - The Schrafanek Family.

I am directed to refer to this office letter No.Pol.2162 dated the 25th June 1941 on the above subject, and to state that the Chairman Mysore Iron & Steel Works, who was consulted in the matter, has reported that the Schrafaneks were stated to have under their control a plan for the manufacture of veneers, boxed ready for export in a harbour in Australia and that they had also some equipment in the Punjab and that some correspondence was carried on with a view to acquiring this material if possible. As full and reliable information could not be had it was suggested that they might come over to Bangalore for a discussi

The question of employment of any member does not arise until it is certain that they are in a position to supply the equipment complete o the more important portions of it. The correspondence has taken a long time and it is not known if the machinery is still available.

The Chairman considers that if the machinery is still available and if there ~~is no objection to buying it~~, it would be worthwhile meeting the principal member of the family and discussing the question with him bu not otherwise.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Chief Secretary to Government.

SECRET & IMMEDIATE.

28th July 1941.

No. Pol. 187

To Secretary to the Resident

Enemy Aliens - The Schrafanek Family.

I am directed to refer to this office letter No.Pol.2162 dated the 25th June 1941 on the above subject, and to state that the Chairman, Mysore Iron & Steel Works, who was consulted in the matter, has reported that the Schrafaneks were stated to have under their control a plant for the manufacture of veneers, boxed ready for export in a harbour in Australia and that they had also some equipment in the Punjab and that some correspondence was carried on with a view to acquiring this material if possible. As full and reliable information could not be had, it was suggested that they might come over to Bangalore for a discussion. The question of the employment of any member of that family does not arise until it is certain that they are in a position to supply the equipment complete or the more important portions of it. The correspondence has taken a long time and it is not known if the machinery is still available.. The Chairman considers that if the machinery is still available and if there are no difficulties in the purchase thereof, it would be worthwhile meeting the principal member of the family and discussing the question with him but not otherwise.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Chief Secretary to Government.

212/W

Enemy Aliens

General and Revenue Secretariat | W File No. 11 | of 1940-1 | [App. F. III-2

Serial No. 14

From

The Secy to the Hon'ble the Resident F.48140/W dd 31st May No. 41 enclosing copy of a letter from the Govt of India to the Home Dept and the reply thereto re: Enemy Aliens.

Subd for perusal with a draft to the Govt.

RS 2/6

Govt & put up

GPA 2/6

Issued No W194/Enemy dy 2.6.41 to the S.G.I.P.

Resubmitted.

JMR 2.6.41.

For perusal

GPA 2/6

Chief Secy

JMS 2/6

NOTE—Contn. Sheet.

W 11-40-14. W212

The reply to this communication should be addressed to the Secretary to the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore, by designation and not by name.

SECRET.

No. F.48-40/W.

FROM

THE SECRETARY
TO THE HON'BLE THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

C.S. 31/5/41

Dated Bangalore, the 31 · 5 · 1941

ENEMY ALIENS

SIR,

I am directed to enclose a copy of the letters noted in the margin, and to request that, if there is no objection, the instructions contained in the Government of India's letter may kindly be observed.

- Letter from the Government of Sind to the Government of India, Home Department, No.81-P/41-W, dated the 10th April 1941.
- Letter from the Government of India, Home Department, to the Government of Sind, No.39/113/41-Political (E), dated the 16th May 1941.

with one spare copy.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT.

KAV

SECRET.

No. 39/113/41-Political(E).
Government of India.
Home Department.

From

H.A.N. Barlow, Esquire, I.C.S.,
Under Secretary to the Government of India.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras.
Bombay.
the United Provinces.
the Punjab.
Bihar
the Central Provinces.
Assam.
the N.W.F. Province.
Orissa.

The Chief Commissioner,
Coorg.
Delhi.
Ajmer-Merwara.
Andaman & Nicobar Islands.
Baluchistan.

Simla, the 16th May '41.

Sir,

I am directed to enclose copies of letter No. 81-P/41-W dated the 10th of April 1941 from the Government of Sind and of the Government of India's reply.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

H.A. Barlow

Under Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 39/113/41-Political(R).

Copy, with enclosures forwarded to the

Director, Intelligence Bureau
External Affairs Department
Political Department

for information (and similar action in respect of the areas with which they are concerned.)

To
E.A.D.
&
Poll.
Dept.

By order,

H.A. Barlow

Under Secretary to the Government of India.

Mss.
15v41.

Copy of a Secret letter No. 81-P/41-W, dated the 10th April 1941, from the Government of Sind, to the Government of India, Home Department.

Subject:- ENEMY ALIENS.

I am directed to state that one R. Wechsler, a German national, arrived in Karachi by air from Cairo, on the 27th March 1941, en route to Shanghai. Ordinarily he would have been interned on landing, as required by paragraph 21(1) of Part V of the Provisional Instructions for the control of Foreigners in War. He was, however, allowed by the Police authorities to continue his journey on the strength of the following Emergency Certificate issued to him by the British Consul at Cairo:-

"Emergency Certificate - His Majesty's Embassy at Cairo hereby certify that they know of no reason to hinder the journey to China of the bearer of this document, Herr Rudolf Wechsler; a German subject, born on the 2nd September 1914 at Nurnberg, resident in Cairo. Herr Rudolf Wechsler has been released from internment in Egypt for this purpose and he has left Egypt with the approval of the British and Egyptian Authorities. He will travel by air across Palestine, India, Burma and Hongkong to Shanghai. Cairo, 27th February 1941".

The Emergency Certificate ~~is~~ bore visa number 920, Cairo, dated the 27th February 1941, good for India, Palestine, Burma and Hongkong, also the Straits Settlements, in transit for Shanghai, single journey valid for entry not later than 27th May 1941.

2. The Government of Sind had no prior intimation regarding Mr. Wechsler's arrival at Karachi, and they consider it advisable that such intimation should whenever possible be sent to them. I am, therefore, to suggest that the British Embassies abroad should be requested to send prior intimation concerning the movements of enemy aliens in such cases, and to request you to move the Govt. of India to issue the necessary instructions in the matter.

SECRET.

No. 39/113/41-Political(E).
Government of India.
Home Department.

From

H.J. Frampton, Esquire, C.I.E., M.C., I.C.S.,
Deputy Secretary to the Government of India.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of Sind.

The Deputy Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Simla, the ~~15th~~ 16th May '41.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 81-P/41-W dated the 1695-P.S. 10th 28th April 1941, I am directed to say that the Government of India themselves received no intimation of the passage to India of Herr Wechsler*(and Fraulein Klein) until they received a report that they had been arrested at Calcutta. An enquiry then made from His Majesty's Minister at Cairo about these persons elicited the fact that their travel documents, which were genuine, were issued by the Military Defence Security Authorities at Cairo, who had promised to inform the British authorities along their route but had apparently forgotten to do so.

*( ) To Bengal only.

2. The Government of India agree that Provincial Governments into, or through, whose jurisdiction enemy foreigners have been authorized to enter or travel should be informed of this authorization and they will, in future, furnish to the appropriate Provincial Government such information as they may themselves possess or receive.

3. Any enemy alien who may be authorised to enter India in transit to a destination beyond India should be granted a travel licence in accordance with the provisions of declaration 3(f) of the Registration of Foreigners (Exemption) Order, 1939.

4. Should any enemy alien about whose expected arrival intimation has not been received enter British India, he should normally be detained at the place at which he enters India pending further instructions from the Government of India.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

H.J. Frampton

Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India

Appendix F G—1]

SUBJECT.....

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Diary No. of letter replied to.....

Date of issue.....

Signed by .....

List of enclosures.....

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Section

File No.

Serial No.

Secret

No.

To

The I.G.P.
Enemy Aliens.

Sir, I am directed to enclose for your information & necessary action a copy of the letter ~~noted in the margin~~ No. 7.48-40/W dated 31.5.41, received from Registry. ~~for information.~~ and of its enclosure. ~~The Registry has requested that the instructions contained in the Govt. order in this letter may be observed.~~

III
Chief Secretary
11/6
2/6/41
Chief Secy to Govt

SECRET.

No W 197/Ernest
W 11-40-15

2nd June 1941.

The Inspector-General of Police in Mysore.

Enemy Aliens.

I am directed to enclose for your information and needful action a copy of the letter No.F.48-40/W dated the 31st May 1941 received from the Residency and of its enclosure.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

For Chief Secretary to Government.

392/W.
404/W. Permission to Rev. Fr. Vachon to stay in Bangalore City

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Serial No.	
16	From The Asst to the Hon'ble the Resident F. 1440 (2) W dt 31st July 41 enquiring whether this Govt have any objection to the permission asked for being granted (Permission to come to Bangalore City to get himself admitted in St. Martha's Hospital for treatment to Vachon) The I.G.P will be consulted. Subd with a draft to the I.G.P. RS 2/8
17	Issued 4278/W dt 2nd August 41 to the I.G.P.
18	From The I.G.P F. C. 36/41-42 dt 4th Aug. 41 stating that there is no objection to the permission asked for by Rev. Fr. Vachon being granted. Subd with a draft reply to the Resy. RS 6/8 Chief Sec. For perusal Law Minister 6/8/41 9-8-41 11/8/41
19	Issued P.R. 285 dt 11th Aug. 41 to #11/8 Resy

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The reply to this communication should be addressed to the Secretary to the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore, by designation and not by name.

CONFIDENTIAL. No. F.14-40(2)/W.

FROM

THE SECRETARY TO THE HON'BLE THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

Dated Bangalore, the 31st July *1941.*

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Permission to Rev.Fr.B.Venturin to stay in Bangalore City.

SIR,

I am directed to say that Rev. Fr.Bruno Venturin, an Italian Priest whose movements are restricted to the Roman Catholic Mission compound, Masulipatam, Kistna District has applied to the Government of Madras for permission to come to Bangalore City to get himself admitted to St.Martha's Hospital for treatment. A copy of his letter to the District Magistrate, Kistna District, dated the 21st July 1941 and a copy of the medical certificate are enclosed. I am to enquire whether the Government of Mysore have any objection to the permission asked for being granted. Any restrictions considered necessary could of course be imposed upon him.

2. The favour of a very early reply is requested.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

for SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT.

KRly

Copy of the letter dated 21st July 1941 from Rev.Fr.Bruno Venturin, Catholic Missionary, Masulipatam to the District Magistrate, Kistna.

For the last few months the state of my health has not been at all satisfactory. In the beginning I did not attach much importance to what I thought could not be but the effect of prolonged exertion on a constitution normally not over strong. A few days ago I noticed symptoms of Tuberculosis and I referred to my Bishop, who at once asked me to apply to your honour for permission to proceed to St.Martha's hospital, Bangalore, for a period of two months.

I would therefore be extremely grateful if your honour would kindly consider my application and grant me permission to proceed to Bangalore for admission to St.Martha's Hospital in the interest of my health, for a period of not less than two months. I beg to submit herewith medical certificate.

Awaiting favourable order at an early date.

P.T.O.

Dr.C.B.Ethirajulu, M.B.B.S.
Asst. District Medical
Officer, Kistna.

Masulipatam,
20-7-1941.

Father B.Venturin has been examined by me this day and I found that he is weak in constitution and must have a change in climate to recoup his health.

Sd.C.B.Ethirajulu,

Asst. District Medical Officer, Kistna.

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Diary No. of letter replied to.....

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue..... 2. 8. 41

Signed by ..... Mr. CPR

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Serial No. 17

Secret

No. 473/W

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To The I G of Police.

Permission to Rev. Fr. B. Vasturia to stay in Bangalore city

Sir,

I am directed to enclose herein for information a copy of Reg letter no F. 1440 (2) W dt 31st Jul 41 on the above subject and to enquire whether there is any objection to the permission asked for by Fr. Vasturia being granted. An early reply is requested.

I have the

CPR

For Chief Secretary to Govt

SECRET.

No. H-73/W
Encs 2

2nd August 1941.

The Inspector-General of Police in Mysore.

Permission to Rev. Fr. B. Venturin
to stay in Bangalore City.

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I am directed to enclose herein for information a copy of Residency letter No.F.14-40(2)/W dated the 31st July 1941 with enclosures on the above subject, and to enquire whether there is any objection to the permission asked for by Fr. Venturin being granted.

A very early reply is requested.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

For Chief Secretary to Government.

W 11-40-18. 404/W.

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POLICE DEPARTMENT.

SECRET.

OFFICE OF THE
INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE IN MYSORE,

No. F.C.36/41-42.

Bangalore, dated August 4, 1941.

FROM

E. G. B. PEEL, Esq., C.I.E.,
Inspector-General of Police in Mysore,
Bangalore.

To

Rajasevaprasakta
B.T. Kesavaiengar, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore,
Bangalore.

B. (Ltr.) 1115/618

Subject:- Permission to Rev. Fr. B. Venturin to stay in Bangalore City.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No.473/W dated the 2nd instant, I have the honour to state that there is no objection to the permission asked for by Rev. Fr. Venturin being granted.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE.

Secret

The Secy to the Hon'ble the Resident

Permission to Rev. Fr. B. Vathanian to stay in Bangalore City

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. F. 14-40 (2), W dated the 31st July 41 on the above subject I am directed to state that this Govt have no objection to the permission asked for by Rev. Fr. Vathanian being granted.

I have the
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Chief Secy to Govt

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11th August 1941.

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Permission to Rev. Fr. B. Venturin to stay in Bangalore City.

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With reference to your letter No.F.14-40(2)/W dated the 31st July 1941 on the above subject, I am directed to state that this Government have no objection to the permission asked for by Rev. Fr. Venturin being granted.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

For Chief Secretary to Government.

398/W.

Visit of the Rev. Mother Josephine of the Holy Cross High School Sirsi to the Mysore State

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Serial No.

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From The Secy to the Govt to the Resident D.O No F. 228/1940-1 1st August 1940 enquiring whether the Govt have any objection to visit of the Rev. Mother Josephine to this State in the event of the Govt of India and Secy of State approving of the grant of a visa for India to her.

In the event of the Govt of India and Secy of State approving of the grant of a visa for India to her, perhaps a reply may be sent that the Govt. have no objection to her visiting the State

Submitted for orders with a draft reply for consideration with a memo to the Govt.

RS 4/8

It would have been helpful if information were available re: places and institutions in the State which she wishes to visit. If necessary, the opinion of the I.G.P. also may be obtained.

As the Govt of India are not likely to grant a visa for India to her, if her activities be objectionable, we may perhaps say we have no obj

Draft for consideration

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Chief Secretary. 4. AUG. 1941 Govt. of Mysore

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So long as the Govt. of India are satisfied in regard to the persons named, this Govt. cannot have any objection to her visiting Mysore. As this State is only a part of her itinerary – Draft may be approved.

(Law minister)

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D.O.No.F.228/1940.

THE RESIDENCY,
BANGALORE.

1st August 1941.

P.S. No. 218

EXPRESS LETTER.

My Dear Kesavaiengar,

I am desired to say that the Rev. Mother Josephine of the Holy Cross High School, Siolim, has applied for permission to visit various centres of the Holy Cross, among which Mysore is included. She is the Mother Superior of this Order and is a French national, aged 56. She has been continuously in India since 1908 and is not in possession of a French passport. Her nephew is a prisoner of war in Germany of whom she has had no news. Her society however is said to embrace many enemy nationals both German and Italian.

2. I am to enquire whether, in the event of the Government of India and Secretary of State approving of the grant of a visa for India to her, the Mysore Government would have any objection to her visiting the State.

Yours sincerely,
Hancock.

Rajasevaprasaktha B.T. Kesavaiengar Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.

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Date of issue 5.8.41

Signed by Mr. GA

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File No. 11-40

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Secret

No. Pol. 246.

To

The Secy to the Hon'ble the Resident

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your D.O. No. F. 228/1940 dated 1st August 41 regarding the visit of the Rev. Mother Josephine to Mysore and to state that the Govt have no objection to her visiting the State in the event of the Govt of India and Secretary of State approving of the grant of a visa for India to her.

I have the

MW 4/8/41

Memo. No. 505/W - Dt. 5.8.41 Chief Secy to Govt

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Copy of the above with the 1 enclosure for information with a copy of Resy D.O. No. F. 228/1940 dated 1st Aug. 41.

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SECRET.

5th August 1941.

Pol 246

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your D.O.letter No.F.228/1940 dated the 1st August 1941 regarding the visit of the Rev. Mother Josephine to Mysore and to state that this Government have no objection to her visiting the State in the event of the Government of India and Secretary of State approving of the grant of a visa for India to her.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

(Sd.) B.T. Kesavaiengar.

~~XXX~~ for Chief Secretary to Government.

Memo No. 505/W Dated the 5th August 1941.
Encl

Copy of the above is forwarded with compliments to the Inspector-General of Police for information with a copy of Residency D.O. No.F.228/1940 dated the 1st August 1941.

For Chief Secretary to Government.